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## Commercial.

### McMINNVILLE PRODUCE MARKET.

Corrected weekly by Mead & Ritchey.

OFFICE SOUTHERN STANDARD.  
McMinnville, Jan. 8, 1887.

The general trade was very good today. Business in all departments is opening up in a very satisfactory manner.

Groceries were in good demand, but with no changes in the market. The flour and wheat market was quiet and steady, with no change from yesterday.

Corn is in good demand and a shade higher. The stock is rather light at present on account of the late cold snap. Shipments yesterday and today twenty-five cars.

Country Produce—Receipts of marketing continue light, and prices are correspondingly high. Eggs were firm at 23c from first hands, hens 20c, live turkeys 6 to 6½c, and butter 15 to 18c. In other articles no changes were reported.

WHEAT—60¢ @ 67¢ bu.  
CORN—new to 35,  
FLOUR—new, \$2.50 @ \$3.00 100 lbs.  
MEAL—bu. 45¢ @ 50c.  
OATS—bu. 22½¢ @  
CHICKENS—Hens 4c @ 1b  
BUTTER—lb. 10 to 15  
EGGS—doz 17 to 18c.  
GINSENG—lb. 1.25 to  
BEESWAX—lb. 18c.  
FEATHERS—lb. 35 to  
TALLOW—lb. 3c.  
Green hides 5¢ @ 6c, Grubby ½ @  
LARD—lb. 8c.  
BACON—  
Shoulders 6½¢  
Hams 10 to  
Sides 7½¢  
Hog round  
Wool, unwashed, 14¢ @ 18c  
" tub washed, 23 to 27c  
Poultry—Hens 4; Turkeys, 5c to 1.  
Stock peas, 50 to  
White peas, 60c  
White beans, 75c  
DRIED APPLES—lb. 3c to  
Blackberries to 5c.  
Homestead Fertilizer, 2 25 to 2 50 @ 100.  
Irish potatoes—25c @ bu.  
Green Apples, to 50 per bushel.

### NASHVILLE MARKET REPORT.

Corrected from the Nashville Union every Thursday evening.

The produce trade has been rather active in some respects for the last two weeks.

Wheat and corn have not advanced, but are moving more freely. Dried fruit has advanced and is in good demand, but there is none in the country. Green apples have been rather dull, since the holidays, the demand and prices up to that time were good.

Poultry unchanged; better demand for turkeys, but chickens are rather dull. Eggs, in consequence of the long continued cold weather, have held up remarkably well, and are in good demand, but as soon as the production begins to increase we may expect a decline in prices.

The mule trade has been lively during the last ten days. The indications are more favorably and we may reasonably expect an increase in the money circulation in this as well as other places. Every surplus product we may have that can be sold for money, should be cashed at its highest market value.

Wheat, from wagons, good dry, 75¢ @ 78;  
Corn—wagons, to 40.  
Corn Meal—45 to  
Oats—36  
Hay, prime timothy, per ton, \$12.50 to \$13.50  
Dried Fruit—Apples 3½ to 4c; evaporated c; Peaches, halves, to c; quarters, to c; blackberries, too.  
Feathers—prime, 40 to  
Beeswax—choice, 18 to 19.  
Rags—well assorted, \$1.50 to 2.00  
Ginseng—dry, 1.40 to 1.50.  
Butter—10 to 18  
Eggs—20 to  
Chickens—frying \* @ 10c; hens, 18c  
Tallow—choice, 3½ to  
Irish potatoes, per bbl. 1.30 to 2.25  
Wool—unwashed, 20 to 25.  
" tub washed, 35 to 35.

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## A FRIEND'S TRIBUTE.

The Remarks of Col. John H. Savage on the Death of James P. Thompson.

Nashville American.

We have been requested to republish the following remarks of Col. Savage made before the Supreme Court of Tennessee upon the death of James P. Thompson, of McMinnville, who was at the time of his death the eldest member of the bar in the State. The remarks of Col. Savage were made in January, 1886. The subject of the remarks was at the time of his death 93 years old. Col. Savage said:

If the honorable court will permit, I will bring to its notice resolutions passed by the McMinnville bar as a memorial and tribute of respect to the life and character of James P. Thompson, who died at McMinnville on the 2d day of January last, and was then supposed to be the oldest living member of the Tennessee bar. May it please your honor I will say, I am unacquainted with the custom of this court in reference to such resolutions, nor have I ever spoken in public of the death of any person. James P. Thompson was 93 years of age on the day of his death. The time allotted to the life of man is 25, 250 days, Mr. Thompson lived 33,545 days, which is 7,295 days beyond the limit of three score and ten years.

Ninety-three years is a long time to live, but considered in connection with the idea of immortality, is a mere dot or mathematical point in the endless line of eternity—seventy of such lives reaching back in the shadows of the past, would ante-date the creation of the world, as fixed by Jewish chronicles.

In Mr. Thompson's life no one day brought to him the same things, or things precisely like the things brought by any other day. And also such is human destiny that amongst millions now on earth, and the billions of men who have gone before, no two men have seen alike in all things or lived precisely the same life.

Mr. Thompson, in some respects, differed from many men. He neither emulated, rivaled, envied or hated any man. The desire to supplant, suppress or triumph over a brother lawyer was foreign to his nature. He worked to live, to be just in himself, and to do justice to others. Life and death are the greatest of all mysteries, about which the wise know no more than the ignorant.

Modern science assumes to teach that man has descended from some ape-like progenitor. In the conflicts of opinion I am on the side of the angels, and prefer to consider man as a being with an immortal spirit, that will not perish as we suppose the brutes of the field perish. I reject the doctrine of the Sadducees, who taught that death was an eternal sleep. Between annihilation and eternal punishment, I think an immortal spirit would prefer eternal life, though full of pain, and amidst everlasting fires, as some men teach.

Long before the Christian era, and before the great temple of Diana was built, the so-called barbaric tribes of Thrace taught the doctrine that men never die; that the mystery which men call death was the mere transition of the soul or immortal part of man to a better stage of existence in a brighter world.

Similar to this has been the common belief of common men throughout the ages. If it is a fiction, it is most beautiful, and I prefer the common opinion of the common men of the earth to the doubts and fine spun theories of men called learned. If there is no hereafter, the longest life is not worth living.

Your honors have long held your exalted positions, but you are not looking back into the dead past—not is there much thought among you about the present. It is to-morrow, and your hope and expectation for the future that most concerns you and in which you live.

Assuming that there is a great Spirit, a Heavenly Father for all men, whose attributes are such as are revealed by the sermon on the mount, it follows that an honest man, who has not acquired fame or riches regardless of the rights and lives of men and the sighs and tears of women and children, is more deserving of honor on earth and in the great hereafter than the victor of a hundred battle-fields.

He—I could live on pig's feet all the time. She—Are you sure you don't?

A Chicago clergyman asks: "Can a man be a Christian and at the same time a successful business man?" He can if he advertises largely.

## ITEMS OF INTEREST.

Called For Our Readers From the Brightest Exchanges.

The military music at West Point costs the country \$10,000 a year.

Chief Justice Waite is a great walker, and he sneers at the Washington street cars.

John Roach is said to have a cancer in his throat similar to that of General Grant.

In India there are four female missionaries to every million of women.

It requires 183 policemen to keep order in the English parliament when it is in session.

Forty-two new ice factories have been started in the south during the past nine months.

He who is most slow in making a promise is the most faithful in the performance of it.

Ex-Senator Bruce (colored) owns a fine plantation in Mississippi and is worth over \$100,000.

New York has boarding-houses for birds, whose owners have left the city for the summer months.

Ex-Secretary Hamilton Fish is entirely recovered from the effects of the paralytic shock of last summer.

Wrap eggs in paper, twisting the ends hard; put them in a box in a good cellar and they will keep all winter.

Baltimore is to have a crematory. Two years ago there was but one in the country; now there are twelve.

A rich Norwegian lawyer left all his money to be used in buying bicycles for the Christiania school children.

A Marshal Neil rose bush that grows white flowers on one side and crimson on the other, is a sight at London, Ont.

The police force of Metamora, Ill., has been abolished. No arrest has been made in that town for two years.

A St. Louis newspaper claims to have printed a history of the last man who was killed in the War of the Rebellion.

Darwin is the authority for the statement that man is the only animal in creation that maltreats its mate or female of its own kind.

A tailor in Boston recently had application for the use of a full dress suit for a corpse, the suit to be returned after the funeral rites.

The largest inland sea is the Caspian, lying between Europe and Asia. Its greatest length is 760 miles, and its area 180,000 square miles.

The clergymen of Philadelphia have formed an organization, and subdivided the city for special evangelistic work during the winter.

The Indian Agriculturist estimates that there are 280,000,000 coconut trees in the world, which produce 10,000,000,000 nuts every year.

A Boston newspaper prints a list of the residents of San Francisco who are worth \$1,000,000 and over. There are 105 of these fortunate persons.

Mrs. Rebecca Titus, mother of the man recently convicted of killing Tillie Smith, has become insane, and will probably have to be sent to the state asylum.

London Society will have to mind its manners, as Mrs. Elizabeth Cady Stanton and her daughter are to make the city of smoke and scandals their home during the coming winter.

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